

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHERN DIVISION

CHARLES A. PEARSON, #182691,

Plaintiff,

V.

K. L. BYRD, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 2:06-CV-828-CSC

ORDER ON MOTION

The plaintiff filed a motion for appointment of counsel on December 12, 2007 (Court Doc. No. 61). The court notes that the facts underlying the plaintiff's claims for relief are relatively simple and the law applicable to such claims is not complex. Moreover, the pleadings filed in this case establish that the plaintiff is capable of presenting the necessary elements of his claims to this court and fail to demonstrate that there are exceptional circumstances justifying appointment of counsel. *See Bass v. Perrin*, 170 F.3d 1312, 1320 (11th Cir. 1999); *Kilgo v. Ricks*, 983 F.2d 189, 193 (11th Cir. 1993); *Dean v. Barber*, 951 F.2d 1210, 1216 (11th Cir. 1992). Accordingly, the interests of justice do not require appointment of counsel, and it is

ORDERED that the plaintiff's motion for appointment of counsel be and is hereby DENIED.

Done this 12th day of December, 2007.

/s/ Charles S. Coody
 CHARLES S. COODY
 CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE